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LaVar Engle Western International Corp. 1399 South 700 East Suite 16 Salt Lake City, UT 84105

> RE: Air Quality Approval Order to Process Gold Mine Tailings in Summit County

Dear Mr. Engle:

On June 18, 1981, the Executive Secretary published a notice of intent to approve your proposal to process old Silver Maple Gold Mine tailings.

The 30-day public comment period expired July 18, 1981 and no comments were received.

This air quality approval order authorizes the operation of the tailings processing as proposed in your notice of intent, dated June 5, 1981, with the following conditions:

- Visible emissions from any source shall not exceed 20% opacity.
- 2. Water spraying shall be accomplished on the dozer area, stockpile, shaker screen, crusher, and conveyor drop points to minimize fugitive emissions as dry conditions warrant or as determined necessary by the Executive Secretary. A record/log shall be kept to include dates, amounts and areas of application. The record/log shall be made available to the Executive Secretary upon request.
- 3. The Executive Secretary shall be notified when operations begin as an initial compliance inspection is required.

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Since you are a minor source, a PSD permit will not be required from EPA, Region VIII, Denver.

Sincerely,

Brent C. Bradford Executive Secretary Utah Air Conservation Committee

DR:jw

cc: Summit County Health Dept. EPA Region VIII (H. Huey)

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